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### Initial Proposal Big Arm State Park Permanent Easement 7/10/19

The Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) and Montana Fish Wildlife and Parks (FWP), jointly propose the purchase of a permanent easement by FWP on the School Trustlands currently leased for Big Arm State Park on Flathead Lake in Lake County: Sections 29 and 32, T24N R21W.

The objective of this proposal is to perpetuate public access and recreation on Flathead Lake at the Big Arm State Park site and to generate revenue in support of education in Montana. The area to be analyzed will include 236 acres of School Trust lands.

The DNRC and FWP is in the scoping phase of the project environmental assessment so acreage estimates are preliminary. In preparation for this project, specialists such as wildlife biologists, hydrologists, soils scientists and archeologists will be consulted.

The Montana DNRC and FWP invites written comments and suggestions concerning this proposal. Please respond by **7/24/19** to:



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